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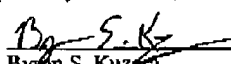
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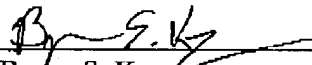
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.219, the Applicants hereby request early publication of the above-captioned application. The Commissioner is authorized to debit Deposit Account Number 19-0733 for fees necessary for consideration of this Request, including the \$300 publication fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.18(d).

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